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AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions and listings of claims in the application:

LISTING OF CLAIMS:

1. (WITHDRAWN) A recording medium reproducing unit comprising:

a recording-medium reproducing device;

a lead wire connected to a circuit board, the lead wire for supplying electric power and/or transmitting a signal to the circuit board, the lead wire led out in either of a first direction or a second direction different from the first direction;

a holding member for holding down the lead wire; and

a bending member for bending the lead wire.

- 2. (WITHDRAWN) The recording medium reproducing unit according to claim 1, wherein the bending member serves as the holding member.
- 3. (WITHDRAWN) The recording medium reproducing unit according to claim 1, wherein the bending member takes a shape including at least one oblique side having a guide function for bending the lead wire.
- 4. (WITHDRAWN) The recording medium reproducing unit according to claim 1, wherein the lead wire includes a plurality of the lead wires.

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5. (WITHDRAWN) The recording medium reproducing unit according to claim 1,

wherein the holding member includes a L-shaped part.

6. (WITHDRAWN) The recording medium reproducing unit according to claim 5,

wherein the lead wire includes a plurality of lead wires;

and

the holding member fastens at least one of the lead wires led out in the first direction

and another of the lead wires led out in the second direction.

7. (WITHDRAWN) The recording medium reproducing unit according to claim 5,

wherein the holding member is formed at a position at which the holding member holds the lead

wire;

the lead wire is bent by the bending member from the first direction to the second

direction;

and the lead wire is led out in the second direction.

8. (WITHDRAWN) The recording medium reproducing unit according to claim 1,

wherein the first and second directions are inclined relative to each other.

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9. (WITHDRAWN) The recording medium reproducing unit according to claim 1,

wherein the lead wire is a flexible cable.

The recording medium reproducing unit according to claim 1, 10. (WITHDRAWN)

wherein the recording medium reproducing device includes a turntable, an optical pickup, and a

optical pickup moving device.

The recording medium reproducing unit according to claim 4, 11. (WITHDRAWN)

wherein the lead wires are led out of at least one of a turntable, an optical pickup, and a optical

pickup moving device.

12. (WITHDRAWN) The recording medium reproducing unit according to claim 1,

further comprising a recording medium transporting mechanism.

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16. (WITHDRAWN) A recording medium reproducing unit comprising:

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a recording medium reproducing device; and

an adapter which is fixed to the recording medium reproducing device and serves as legs

of the recording medium reproducing device.

The recording medium reproducing unit according to claim 16, 17. (WITHDRAWN)

wherein a positioning pin for a disc player having the recording medium reproducing device are

used for positioning the adapter to the recording medium reproducing device.

The recording medium reproducing unit according to claim 16, 18. (WITHDRAWN)

wherein the adapter holds a circuit board.

The recording medium reproducing unit according to claim 16, 19. (WITHDRAWN)

wherein a mounting hole of the recording medium reproducing device for a disc player are

coincident in position with a mounting hole of the adapter for the disc player, wherein the

mounting hole of the disc player is used in common.

A recording medium reproducing unit comprising: 20. (NEW)

a recording medium reproducing device;

a lead wire connected to a circuit board and being a flat conductor, the lead wire

for at least one of supplying electric power and transmitting a signal to the circuit board;

and

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a fastening structure including a first fastening mechanism for fastening the lead

wire to be led out in a first direction, and a second fastening mechanism for fastening the

lead wire to be led out in a second direction different from the first direction.

The recording medium reproducing unit according to claim 20, wherein 21. (NEW)

the fastening structure fastens the lead wire to be lead out in the first direction and the

second direction.

22. (NEW) The recording medium reproducing unit according to claim 20, wherein

the fastening structure comprises a hook.

23. (NEW) The recording medium reproducing unit according to claim 20, wherein

the first direction is a direction toward a back side of the recording medium reproducing

unit, and the second direction is a direction toward a side of the recording medium

reproducing unit.

The recording medium reproducing unit according to claim 20, wherein 24. (NEW)

the fastening structure is L shaped, and the lead wire is lead out along two linear legs of

said fastening structure.

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25. (NEW) The recording medium reproducing unit according to claim 20, wherein the fastening structure is positioned near a bending member for bending the lead wire.